

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

When issuance of a passport is examined within each of the passport transaction apparatuses and the passport center, each of the passport transaction apparatuses orchestrates the passport center so as to determine whether the passport is to be issued or not using data for passport transaction inputted by the applicant. When issuance of the passport is permitted, an image of the applicant is acquired at each of the passport transaction apparatuses, and a passport with the image and contents of description for a passport is issued on the spot. Thus the process for passport transaction can be made faster and also a workload to an applicant can be reduced.